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In re the application of: Dwayne Lacey

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For: HEAD MASSAGING DEVICE

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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.312)

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed May 10, 2001, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 21 to read as follows:

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1. (Thrice Amended) A head massaging device consisting essentially of a plurality of resilient fingers defining a head receiving space for receiving a head, said fingers each having a free end, said head receiving space having an opening at one end formed by a juxtaposition of said free ends of said fingers, at least a portion of said head receiving space having a circumference which is greater than a circumference of said opening, said circumference of said opening being smaller than said head whereby, in use, when said device is lowered onto said head so that said head enters said head receiving space through said opening, said free ends of said fingers apply pressure to and thus massage said head.